

PROCLAMATION

Vision and Hearing Day

WHEREAS, affordable health care is a continuing challenge to the citizens of Oregon and especially the residents of Tigard, Oregon; and

WHEREAS, early detection of health problems results in quicker treatment, a higher cure rate, less time away from work, prevention of some diseases; and

WHEREAS, undiagnosed cases of glaucoma, diabetes, hearing loss, and high blood pressure are prevalent in Oregon today; and

WHEREAS, the Tigard 2000 Lions Club, Regence BlueCross BlueShield of Oregon and the Oregon Lions Sight & Hearing Foundation are actively concerned with the well-being of local residents; and

WHEREAS, the Tigard 2000 Lions Club, Regence BlueCross BlueShield of Oregon and the Oregon Lions Sight & Hearing Foundation will sponsor a visit of the Oregon Lions Mobile Health Screening Unit on April 5, 2003 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., to be located at the Tigard Fred Meyer parking lot, 11565 SW Pacific Hwy. Tigard, Oregon; and

WHEREAS, the Tigard 2000 Lions Club, Regence BlueCross BlueShield of Oregon and the Oregon Lions Sight & Hearing Foundation are offering the screenings free to all local residents (including children with written parental permission) as a public service;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT I, James E. Griffith, Mayor of Tigard, on behalf of the entire City Council, do hereby proclaim:

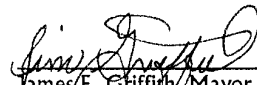
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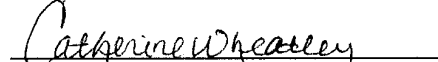
in Tigard and urge all citizens to take full advantage of the opportunity to protect their vision, hearing, and general health through this free preventive health screening.

Dated this 11th day of March 2003.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Tigard to be affixed.


James E. Griffith, Mayor
City of Tigard

Attest:


Catherine Whearey
City Recorder

